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Enclosed please find an Amendment in connection with U.S. Serial No. 10/089,625.

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Group No.: J.M. Ford

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith is a Request for Reconsideration for this application. 1.

STATUS

2.	Applicant is			
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	• -	[] is attached.		
	•	[] was already filed.		
	[X]	other than a small entity.		

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If a timely response has been filed after a Final Office Action, an extension of time is required to permit filing and/or entry of a Notice of Appeal or filing and/or entry of an additional amendment after expiration of the shortened statutory period unless the timely-filed response placed the application in condition for allowance. Of course, if a Notice of Appeal has been filed within the shortened statutory period, the period has ceased to run." Notice of December 10, 1985 (1061 O.G. 34-35).

NOTE: See 37 C.F.R. Section 1.645 for extensions of time in interference proceedings, and 37 C.F.R. Section 1.550(c) for extensions of time in recxamination proceedings.

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. Section 1.136 apply.

(complete (a) or (b), as applicable)

(a) [] Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. Section 1.136 (fees: 37 C.F.R. Section 1.17(a)(1)-(4)) for the total number of months checked below:

	Extension	Fee for other than	Fee for
	(months)	small entity	small entity
[]	one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
	two months	\$ 410.00	\$ 205.00
7 7	three months	\$ 930.00	\$ 465.00
Ϊĺ	four months	\$ 1,450.00	\$ 725.00

Fee: \$.0.00

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

(check and complete the next item, if applicable)

[]	An extension for months has already been secured. The fee paid therefor of \$ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now				
	requested. Extension fee due with this request \$				
	OR				

(b) [X] Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

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First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim+			\$140.00	\$0.00		\$280.00	\$0.00
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(c)	[X]	No additional fee for claims is required
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6. [X] If any additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Account No. 04-1105.

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

Applicants are in receipt of the Office Action dated July 14, 2003 and request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.